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**(Case No. 05-967-A5 Client Ref: EX04-058C-US)**



In the Application of:

Francis Lang et al.	)	Art Unit: To Be Assigned
Serial No.: 10/568,253	)	Examiner: To Be Assigned
Filing Date: June 2, 2006	)	Confirmation No.: 4136
For: Ups As Modifiers Of The Beta Catenin Pathway And Methods Of Use	)	

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Commissioner for Patents  
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In regard to the above identified application:

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  - b. Form PTO-1449 (1 sheet);
  - c. Cited References; and
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Respectfully submitted,

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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. Section 1.97 - 1.99, the Applicant wishes to make the following reference of record in the above-identified application. This Information Disclosure Statement is in compliance with the continuing duty of candor as set forth in 37 C.F.R. Section 1.56. Copy of the reference cited below is enclosed. The reference is also listed on the enclosed PTO Form 1449.

In the judgment of the undersigned, portions of the listed reference may be material to the Examiner's consideration of the presently pending claims. However, the reference has not been reviewed in sufficient detail to make any other representation and, in particular, no representation is intended as to the relative relevance between references, whether cited in this or prior statements. This statement is not a representation that the listed reference has effective dates early enough to be "prior art" within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. Section 102 or Section 103.

**United States Patents**

1. 6,066,500 A Bennett et al., May 23, 2000.

Foreign Documents

2. WO 03/052068 A - Michael Costa et al., June 26, 2003.

In accordance with MPEP Sections 609 and 707.05(b), it is requested the document cited (including any cited in applicant's specification which is not repeated on the attached Form PTO-1449) be given thorough consideration and that it be cited of record in the prosecution history of the present application by initialing on Form PTO-1449. Such initialing is requested even if the Examiner does not consider a cited document to be sufficiently pertinent to use in a rejection, or otherwise does not consider it to be prior art for any reason, or even if the Examiner does not believe that the guidelines for citation have been fully complied with. This is requested so that each document becomes listed on the face of the patent issuing on the present application.

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## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initial		Document Number	Date	Name	Class	Subclass	Filing Date if Appropriate
A1		6,066,500	May 23, 2000	Bennett et al.	A		

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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A2		WO 03/052068	June 26, 2003	WO	A		

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